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DATE: July 7, 2016

TO: City of Hudson Planning Commission for July 11, 2016 Meeting

FROM: Greg Hannan, City Planner

Mark Richardson, Community Development Director

SUBJECT: Site Plan Review for 5581 Hudson Industrial Parkway – Universal Screen Arts

ZONING: District 8 – Industrial/Business Park

PC Case No: 2016-18

Project Introduction

Application has been received for a proposed addition to the existing 82,000 square foot Universal Screen Arts facility. The project includes the construction of a 3,928 sf addition at the north façade of the structure and removal of existing gravel surfaces to the rear of the facility. The existing facility contains 20,000 square feet of office space, 62,000 square feet of warehouse space, 228 parking spaces, and was completed in 2003 (PC case 2002-35).

The subject property and adjacent development are located within District 8 Industrial/Business Park. The subject property is located within the interior of Hudson Industrial Park, approximately 1,200 feet south of Terex Road.

The following information is attached to this report.

- 1. Parking capacity letter from Universal Screen Arts, received June 16, 2016.
- 2. Preliminary comment letter from Greg Hannan, City Planner, dated June 22, 2016.
- 3. Letter from Thom Sheridan, City Engineer, dated July 5, 2016.
- 4. Letter from Shawn Kasson, Fire Marshal, dated June 30, 2016.
- 5. Aerial photograph view from City of Hudson GIS.
- 6. Site Plan submittal from David Young Architects received June 13, 2016.

Applicable Zoning District Standards, Section 1205

Staff compared the proposal to zoning district standards and found the proposal to be in compliance with applicable standards. The existing light industrial facility is permitted as a use by right. Sidewalks are required abutting a public street; however, as the proposed addition only represents a 4.8% expansion, this standard has not been applied to the proposed project.

Applicable Zoning Development and Site Plan Standards, Section 1207

Staff compared the proposal to zoning development and site plan standards. We comment on the following:

Tree and Vegetation Protection

Limits of disturbance are noted on the plans.

Wetland/Stream Corridor Protection

Wetlands and a stream corridor are located to the north of the development, outside of the project limits. Staff does not anticipate any impact to applicable setbacks; however, the grading design must be revised to depict a larger portion of the property and demonstrate the grading will not encroach into the existing tree line.

Stormwater Management/Drainage/Erosion

City Engineer Thom Sheridan has issued a preliminary comment letter dated July 5, 2016. Stormwater management will be accommodated within the existing detention basin within the industrial park.

Parking Count

Industrial/manufacturing facilities are required to provide one space for each employee on the shift with the highest number of employees. The applicant has submitted documentation indicating the proposed addition will not increase staffing and that the existing 228 paved spaces accommodate existing parking demands.

The site presently contains a large gravel area to the rear of the building. This surface was installed in 2006, without initial authorization from the City, to meet temporary parking demands. At that time, The City of Hudson requested the property owner comply with the LDC requirements including the need for site plan approval and a paved surface or to remove the installation. As part of the 2016 subject application this area will be largely removed and returned to a grass cover. A 45 foot wide fire access road with 28 parking stalls are proposed to remain adjacent to the east side of the building. The fire access road is acceptable to remain as a gravel surface; however, Section 1207.04(o) of the LDC requires parking areas to contain a paved surface. Staff requests the area contain an asphalt or concrete pavement or the proposed parking stall markings be removed from the plans.

Design Review Committee for District 6 and 8

The architectural design for the proposed addition will be reviewed by the subcommittee for compliance with Section 1207.18(h) with a recommendation forwarded to the Planning Commission.

Hudson Industrial Park Development Agreement:

The former development agreement for Hudson Industrial Park was terminated in 2015 in connection with the development of the adjacent Ramco project per City Council Resolution 2015-41.

Findings:

The staff finds that the application is in substantial compliance with the use, zoning development site plan, and other governmental regulations, and land disturbance and grading review contained in Section 1204.04.

Required PC Action, Chapter 1203.09(g)(3)

The PC shall consider the development application, the staff report, and then take final action. PC shall approve, approve with conditions, or deny the application based on its compliance with the appropriate review standards. All decisions of the Commission shall be based on findings of fact related to the relevant standards of the Code.

Recommendation

Approve the site plan in Case 2016-18 for 5581Hudson Industrial Parkway for Universal Screen Arts, Inc. according to plans received June 13, 2016 with the following conditions:

- 1. The comments of City Engineer Thom Sheridan must be addressed per the July 5, 2016 correspondence.
- 2. Staff requests the rear gravel parking area be revised to comply with LDC Section 1207.12(o) by incorporating an asphalt or concrete pavement or removing the parking stalls.
- 3. The comments of Fire Marshal Shawn Kasson must be addressed per the June 30, 2016 correspondence.
- 4. Planning Commission accepts the recommendation of the Design Subcommittee for Development in Districts 6 and 8 and approves the project design.
- 5. The applicant shall install silt fencing and/or polypropylene fencing to mark and protect the approved clearing limits, which shall be maintained by the applicant.
- 6. Satisfaction of the above conditions prior to scheduling of a preconstruction meeting with City Officials and no clearing or construction of any kind shall commence prior to the issuance of a Zoning Certificate.



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DATE: June 16, 2016

TO: Greg Hannan, City Planner

FROM: Rodney Tajgiszer, Universal Screen Arts

SUBJECT: Site plan submittal for Universal Screen Arts – Parking Count

In reference to Section 1207: Development and Site Plan Standards, point 4 Parking Count:

Universal Screen Arts Inc., 5581 Hudson Industrial Parkway currently has 228 paved parking spots on the premise. The planned expansion to this building will not affect the current number of parking spots. In review of our "peak" shift need, I have identified the need for 220 parking spots. Thus, I believe us to be in compliance with the referenced section above.

Sincerely,

Rodney Tajgiszer



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June 22, 2016

RE: PC 2016-18-Site Plan Review for 5581 Hudson Industrial Parkway – Universal Screen Arts

Mr. Tajgiszer-

Thank you for your submission of the site plan application for the proposed 3,928 square foot addition at 5581 Hudson Industrial Parkway. The application has been scheduled for the Planning Commission (PC) agenda for the July 11, 2016 meeting. In preparation for such, I am forwarding preliminary comments related to compliance with the Land Development Code (LDC). In addition to these comments, engineering design related comments will be forwarded under separate cover. Our goal is to provide you an opportunity to respond to the below comments by June 30, 2016. We will revise the comments accordingly for the staff report scheduled to be issued on July 6, 2016. Additionally I am available to meet and review the comments at your convenience.

Chapter 1205 – District Regulations

1205.11 District 8:

Use: The existing light industrial facility is permitted as a use by right.

The dimensional standards for lot width, lot frontage, and setbacks are acceptable.

Pedestrian Amenities

Required: Sidewalks are required abutting a public street, along the building façade featuring a customer entrance, and along a building façade abutting a parking area.

Proposed: Sidewalks are required abutting a public street. As the proposed addition only represents a 4.8% expansion, this standard has not been applied to the proposed project.

Section 1207 Zoning Development and Site Plan Standards

The proposed development is subject to compliance with Section 1207.18 Zoning and Development Standards for District 6 and 8

Maximum Impervious Surface

Permitted: 75%

Proposed: Acceptable

Tree and Vegetation Protection

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Design Review Committee for District 6 and 8

The architectural design for the proposed addition will be reviewed by the subcommittee for compliance with Section 1207.18(h) with a recommendation forwarded to the Planning Commission. Staff does not anticipate a formal meeting of the subcommittee being necessary due to the small scale of the addition.

Please contact me for any assistance I can provide.

Sincerely,

Gregory P. Hannan, AICP City Planner

CC: Mark Richardson, Community Development Director Thom Sheridan, City Engineer ENGINEERING • 115 Executive Parkway, Suite 400 • Hudson, Ohio 44236 • (330) 342-1770

Date: July 5, 2016

To: Greg Hannan, City Planner, Community Development

From: Thomas J. Sheridan P.E., P.S, City Engineer.

Re: Universal Screen Arts Building Expansion

The City of Hudson Engineering Department has reviewed the plans submitted June 13, 2016. Note: The City of Hudson Engineering Standards (Engineering Standards) and Land Development Code (LDC) are available online at the City of Hudson Website www.hudson.oh.us under the Engineering Dept. and Community Development Department respectively. The standards are also available in print for a fee. Please contact our office (330-342-1770) if you would like a cost for the printed version.

The City of Hudson Engineering Department has the following review comments that shall be addressed and any necessary revisions resubmitted:

- Provide pre and post impervious surface area on plan sheet per Hudson Engineering Standards Section 1.7.
- Provide the existing depth of the gravel parking area on the plan to be replaced with topsoil. If the gravel is to remain, provide the construction method that will be used to loosen the gravel (tilling, etc..) and allow it to be mixed with the proposed topsoil to reduce its imperviousness.
- Provide the proposed depth of the topsoil (Hudson min. 4" of screened topsoil, no clay backfill). More topsoil may be necessary to cover the gravel for cosmetic purposes.
- Please confirm that no impact to the existing wetland areas on north side of addition will be impacted as part of this project.

If you have any questions, please contact our office.

Sincerely,

Thomas J. Sheridan, P.E., P.S.

Hudson City Engineer

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DATE:

June 30, 2016

TO:

Greg Hannan, City Planner

FROM:

Shawn Kasson, Fire Marshal 5K

SUBJECT:

Universal Screen Arts – 5581 Hudson Industrial Parkway – MPC Case #2016-18

I have reviewed the site plan set for the proposed addition at Universal Screen Arts – 5581 Hudson Industrial Parkway dated June 2016. Upon review I have the following comment:

- Signage stating Fire Lane No Parking must be installed in approved locations to clearly identify the fire apparatus access drive to the proposed addition as a fire lane:
 - o East side of fire apparatus access drive
 - o Turnaround area at the north end of the fire apparatus access drive

Please contact me with any questions.

City of Hudson, OH



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Map Scale 1 inch = 200 feet 6/16/2016

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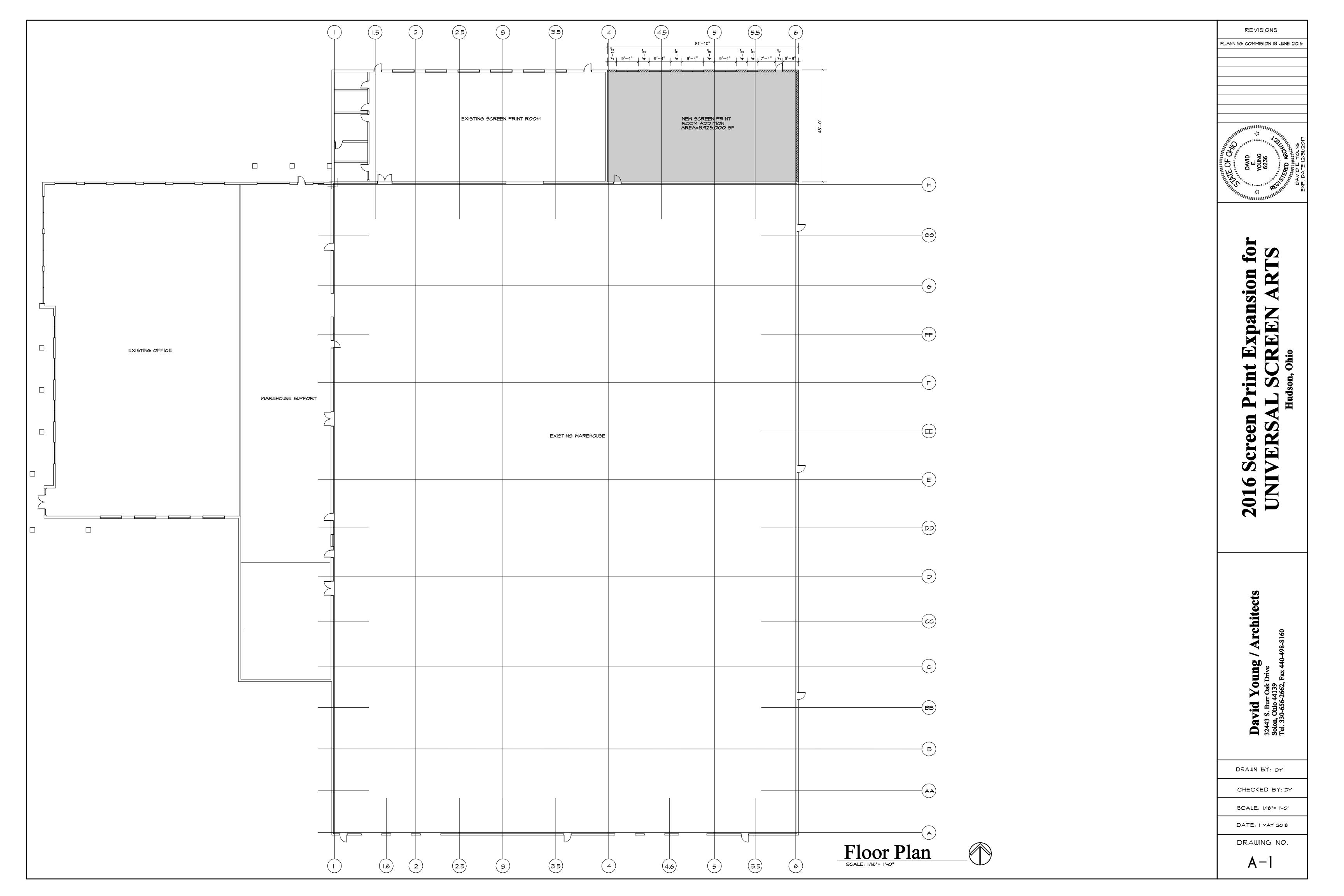
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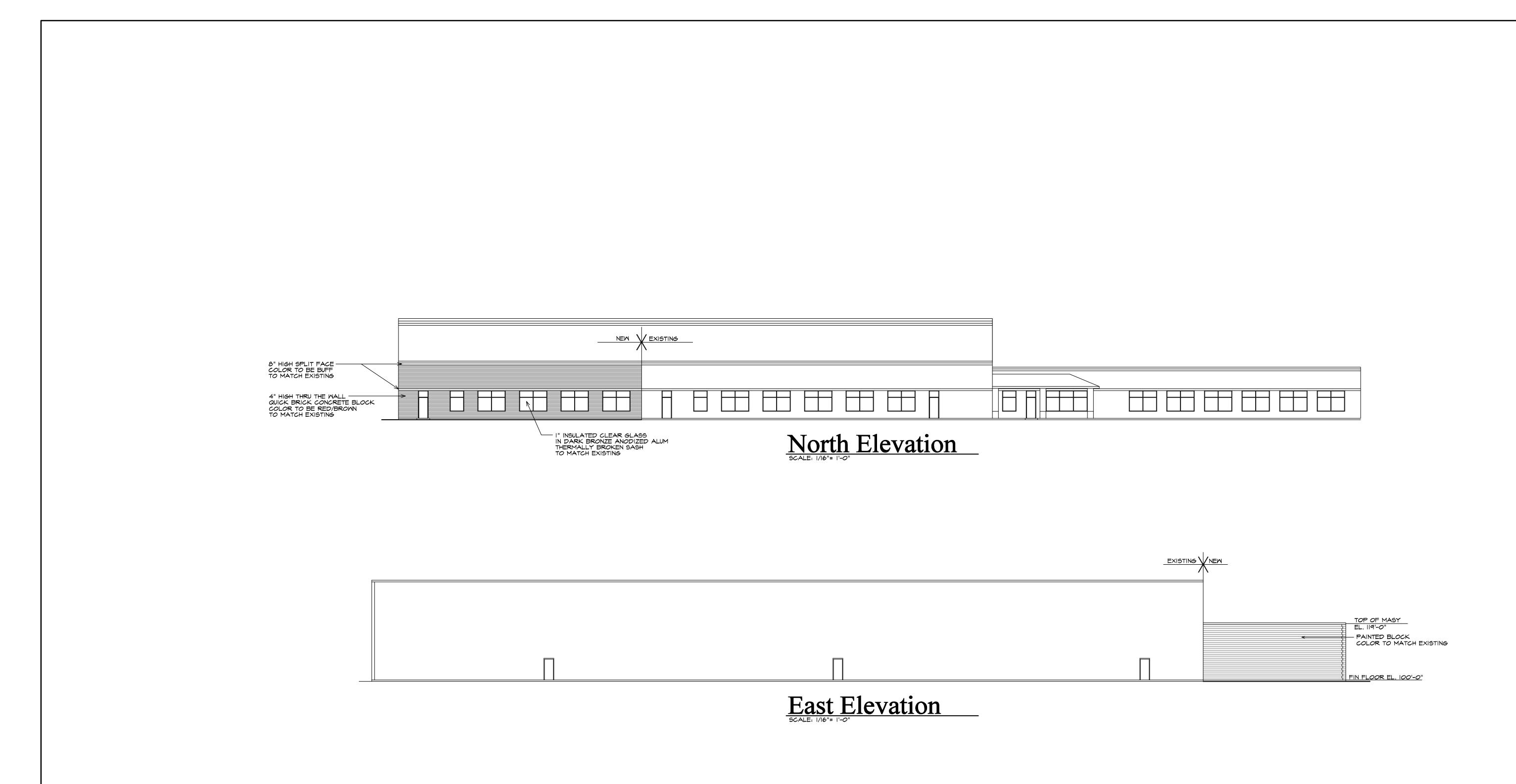
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